

**Table 12-3. Married-Couple Families by Presence of Own Children, Nativity and Citizenship Status of Husband and Wife: 1997**

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(Numbers in thousands. Data are for civilian noninstitutional population plus Armed Forces living off post or with their families on post)

			Husband native, wife foreign born			Wife native, husband foreign born			Both foreign born				
Presence of own children	Total	Both native	Total	Wife naturalized	Wife not a citizen	Total	Husband naturalized	Husband not a citizen	Total	Both naturalized	Husband naturalized, wife not a citizen	Wife naturalized, husband not a citizen	Neither naturalized
<b>NUMBER</b>													
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>53,604</b>	<b>45,863</b>	<b>1,656</b>	<b>848</b>	<b>807</b>	<b>1,327</b>	<b>762</b>	<b>565</b>	<b>4,757</b>	<b>1,380</b>	<b>577</b>	<b>306</b>	<b>2,495</b>
No own children under 18 years.....	28,521	25,203	938	558	380	588	406	183	1,792	752	244	117	678
With own children under 18 years.....	25,083	20,661	718	290	428	739	356	382	2,966	627	332	190	1,816
1 child.....	9,510	7,913	274	108	166	299	166	133	1,024	225	126	66	607
2 children.....	10,152	8,491	298	124	174	266	126	140	1,098	253	125	73	647
3 or more children.....	5,420	4,257	146	59	87	174	64	110	844	150	81	50	562
<b>PERCENT DISTRIBUTION</b>													
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>
No own children under 18 years.....	53.2	55.0	54.2	64.6	44.0	46.8	54.3	35.5	37.7	54.5	42.6	37.5	27.2
With own children under 18 years.....	46.8	45.0	45.8	35.4	56.0	53.2	45.7	64.5	62.3	45.5	57.4	62.5	72.8
1 child.....	17.7	17.3	17.8	14.2	21.4	21.2	20.3	22.7	21.5	16.3	19.3	26.8	24.3
2 children.....	18.9	18.5	17.5	12.8	22.1	20.9	18.7	24.2	23.1	18.3	23.9	19.4	26.0
3 or more children.....	10.1	9.3	10.5	8.4	12.5	11.1	6.7	17.7	17.7	10.9	14.2	16.2	22.5

Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census, March 1997 Current Population Survey.

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